

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Violet Varona-Lukens, Executive Officer Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held December 16, 2003, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Burke made the following statement:

"President Franklin D. Roosevelt declared January 5, 1944, as George Washington Carver Day to recognize the impact Dr. Carver's work had on all Americans. Dr. Carver died on this date the previous year. Several states have written into legislation bills that officially acknowledge January 5th as a day to observe the legacy of George Washington Carver. The African-American Food Association will be honoring the legacy and accomplishments of Dr. Carver, with activities they have planned dedicated to the works of George Washington Carver during month of January 2004."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Burke, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board proclaimed January 5, 2004, as "George Washington Carver Day" throughout Los Angeles County in recognition of the impact Dr. Carver made on American life; and encouraged all citizens to participate in the activities planned by the African-American Food Association at its George Washington Carver Day celebration, to be held at the Epic Center of Exposition Park on January 24, 2004.

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